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29 in the crew, and the Norwegian steamship *Britannic*, from Baltimore, bound for a port in the United States via Belize, British Honduras, with 22 in the crew and 2 steerage passengers in transit. The first vessel sailed in a cargo of sugar and the second in water ballast.

Quarantinable diseases in the port, yellow fever and leprosy.

Statistics of yellow fever to present date: Cases recorded to date, 79; deaths, 21; under treatment, 1.

December 12. One death from yellow fever to-day; no new cases.

Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Yellow fever in Habana and Santa Clara Provinces—Train inspection—Detentions at Triscornia.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amesse reports, December 9:

Week ended December 7.

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued.....	16
Vessels not inspected and bills of health issued.....	3
Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	819
Members of crews of outgoing vessels not inspected.....	158
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	297
Passengers of outgoing vessels not inspected.....	128
Persons entering Triscornia for observation prior to sailing.....	146
Persons transferred from Triscornia to vessels.....	8
Certificates of immunity to yellow fever issued.....	30
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The sanitary status of Habana and Cuba generally shows no material improvement over last week. The city health authorities, however, are instituting a more comprehensive system of train inspection and of keeping under surveillance, for a period of six days, all passengers coming from infected points in the provinces.

A case of yellow fever has been reported at Cienfuegos, originating at 15 Calle Sol, Habana. All prophylactic measures have been practiced. For the interior, 1 case was reported at Bainoa, Habana Province, on December 1, in the person of a native, death resulting on the same date. Another case was reported at this point on December 3, a Spaniard, and discharged recovered on the 7th. Bainoa is a small town on the Habana Central Railroad, 42 miles from Habana.

At Remedios, near the seaport of Caibarien, Santa Clara Province, a case of yellow fever was reported December 4. The patient, a Spaniard, was 1 of the 2 nonimmunes employed on a neighboring estate, and had not entered known infected territory for several months. The case presented such unusual features, especially in the matter of contact, that an expert diagnostician for the sanitary board was ordered to Remedios to investigate. He reported a case of yellow fever.

Report from Matanzas—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Sanitary measures.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, December 9:

Week ended December 7. Five bills of health were granted to vessels leaving for ports in the United States, and one certificate of immunity was issued to a passenger bound to the Republic of Panama